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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT: MARIE K. WALSH et al)
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PRODUCT AND METHOD)
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) PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R.
SERIAL NO.: 10/644,604) §1.136(a)
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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that the shortened statutory period which was set for responding to the Office Action dated December 13, 2006, be extended for three months until May 13, 2007. Submitted herewith pursuant to 37

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Also submitted herewith is an Amendment. It is believed that entry of the enclosed Amendment will place the application in condition for allowance.

DATED this 25th day of May, 2007.

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